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HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 1912.

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WATSON'S OLD BLENDED GLENLIVET WHISKY

Guaranteed entirely distilled in Scotland and thoroughly matured by age, being shipped from our stocks of Old Whisky in the WEST HIGHLAND BOND-ED WAREHOUSES, GREENOCK, SCOTLAND.

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SOLE AGENTS:
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Hongkong, January 3, 1912.

GENERAL BOOTH AT 83.

Visit to America and a Chinese Campaign.

General Booth, who was eighty-three on April 13, has sent the following message to the "Daily Mail":

"My best wishes for earth and heaven to every reader of 'The Daily Mail.' At the end of eighty-three years of my pilgrimage I testify to the faithfulness of God, to the true happiness of a life spent in seeking the benefit of others, and to the grand possibilities of goodness which are over the hope of humanity."

The span of life which may yet be left to me I purpose to spend in this, the highest service I know. My sight has failed, but I am told that the operation I intend to undergo next month will much restore it, and though there must be some risk of total blindness. I shall go through. Whether it succeeds or not, I hope to be spared to visit Canada and the United States during the year upon which I am entering, as well as to inaugurate further efforts for the spread of our work in the European countries."

"At home my mind dwells specially on the problems involved in the better housing of the poorest people, and a more discriminating and extensive distribution of those who could with advantage be transplanted to the land over seas."

"In the East—China calls to me, and before I pass away I must find men and money that the Salvation Army may play well her part for the vast proportion of the Celestial Empire. Every mail from India brings me news of advance there and tidings of new opportunities for our work of mercy and salvation. I hope 'The Daily Mail' will still help me to go forward, and to go forward more vigorously than ever."

William Booth... General Booth formally celebrated his 83rd birthday by giving a tea party in the Congress Hall, Clapham, to 1,000 London officers of the Salvation Army. Beamingly a frail old man, his undimmed spirit was apparent when he addressed the company.

Among the guests were many men and women who had suffered in the struggle of life, and they told each other how they owed their rescue to the general. The officers included men who had been taken from the priesthoods of the Church.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

MOTOR BOATS.

Fast Launches and Tugs.

Light Draft Steamers.

CONSTRUCTIONAL WORK AND REPAIRS.

W. S. BAILEY & Co., Ltd.

TELEGRAM

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CONDENSED MILK.

MILKMAID

STERILIZED NATURAL MILK.

EVAPORATED CREAM.

On Sale at All Stores.

HONGKONG, CANTON, MACAO

AND

WEST RIVER STEAMERS.

JOINT SERVICE OF THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD. AND THE CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

HONGKONG-CANTON LINE.

HONGKONG TO CANTON. CANTON TO HONGKONG.
THURSDAY, 16th MAY.
8.00 A.M. HEUNGSHAN. 8.00 A.M. HONAM.
10.00 P.M. FATSHAN. 5.00 P.M. KINSHAN.

FRIDAY, 17th MAY.
8.00 A.M. HONAM. 8.00 A.M. HEUNGSHAN.
10.00 P.M. KINSHAN. 5.00 P.M. FATSHAN.

HONGKONG-MACAO LINE.

S.S. "SUI TAI" Tons 1651. S.S. "SUI AN" Tons 1651.
HONGKONG TO MACAO.
Week days at 8 A.M. & 2 P.M. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf, Sunday, at 9 A.M. & 12.30 P.M. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf.
MACAO TO HONGKONG.

Week days at 7.30 A.M. and 2 P.M. Sundays, at 7.30 A.M. and 5 P.M.

EXCURSION TO MACAO.

SUNDAY, 19th MAY.
The Company's Steamship, "SUI AN,"

will depart from the Company's WING LOK STREET WHARF at 9 A.M.
N.B.—The Company will also run a steamer from Macao on Sunday, leaving at 7.30 A.M. and from Hongkong at 12.30 P.M. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf.

FARES AS USUAL.

Further particulars may be obtained at the Office of the Company.

CANTON-MACAO LINE.

S.S. "HOL-SANG," 457 Tons.

Departures from Canton to Macao on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 9 P.M.

Departures from Macao to Canton on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 4.30 P.M.

JOINT SERVICE OF HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD., THE CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LTD., AND THE Indo-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION LTD.

CANTON-WUCHOW LINE.

S.S. "SAINAM," 688 Tons, and S.S. "NANNING," 566 Tons.

One of the above steamers leaves Canton for Wuchow every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at about 8 A.M., and the other leaves Wuchow for Canton on the same days at 8.30 A.M. Round trips take about 5 days. Passengers can return to Hongkong or vice versa by the Company's direct steamer, "LINTAN" and "SANUP." These vessels have superior Cabin accommodation and are lighted throughout by electricity. Electric Fan in each Cabin.

Booking Office open daily (Sunday excepted) 9 A.M. to 5 P.M.

Further particulars may be obtained at the Office of the

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD.

HOTEL MANSIONS (First Floor), Opposite the Blake Pier.

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SCENIC RAILWAY.

SINGON & CO.

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1880

THE same as was shown at the HONGKONG UNIVERSITY BAZAAR, will be open to the public from

WEDNESDAY, 1st MAY, 1912.

at the

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36 EXTRA FILMS 36.

Will be exhibited so that passengers may go ROUND THE GLOBE with all the thrills and excitement of a railway journey in the record time of HALF AN HOUR.

OPEN DAILY: OPEN DAILY

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A Fresh Start每两分钟

FARE, 10 Cents.

Telephone No. 1111.

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ASTOR HOUSE HOTEL

LATE CONNAUGHT HOTEL.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

(Opposite the Clock Tower).

DISPENSING AND FAMILY CHEMISTS.

IMPORTERS OF

PROPRIETARY MEDICINES,

Toilet Articles. Perfumery, Soaps,

CIGARS, CIGARETTES, TOBACCO.

MASSEY'S COMMERCIAL MAP & DIRECTORY.

NOW COMPILING

Advertisers and Residents:

HEADS OF BUSINESS HOUSES,

PROFESSIONAL MEN,

SECRETARIES OF CLUBS,

MANAGERS OF HOTELS,

PRINCIPALS and MATRONS of HOSPITALS,

and ALL RESIDENTS are requested to send in full

particulars.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER _____

CABLE ADDRESS _____

FOR FREE INSERTION.

K. A. MASSEY,

33, KING EDWARD HOTEL

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Hongkong, February 12, 1912.

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THE LEEDS FORGE CO., LTD., LEEDS.

Specialists in the Manufacture of RAILWAY ROLLING STOCK of every description.

Pioneers in the design and manufacture of

PRESSED STEEL UNDERFRAMES AND BOGIES AND ALL-STEEL

RAILWAY WAGGONS.

The Undersigned have been appointed Sole Agents in Hongkong and China

The Taikoo Dockyard and Engineering

Co. of Hongkong, Ltd.

AGENTS, BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Hongkong, October 3, 1911.

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THE HONGKONG HOTEL.

THOROUGHLY UP TO DATE WITH EVERY MODERN LUXURY

A LA CARTE GRILL ROOM.

J. H. TAGGART, Manager.

PEAK HOTEL.

ADMIRABLY SITUATED AT VICTORIA GAP.

Adjoining the Tramway Terminal, 1,400 feet above Sea Level.

OPEN to the South Winds in Summer and protected from the North-east Winds in

Winter. Commanding a magnificent view of Hongkong, the harbour and adjacent

island for forty miles.

A FIRST-CLASS FAMILY RESIDENTIAL AND TOURISTS HOTEL.

Terms—From \$6 per day Max. Telegraph Add.: "Peaceful".

Town Office, 4, D & Vaux Road.

Hongkong, February 8, 1908.

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LADIES' AFTERNOON TEA ROOMS. Special rates for married families on application to the Manager.

CHARGES MODERATE.

F. REICHMANN Proprietor.

TELEPHONE No. 197. TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS: "COMFORT". Hongkong.

Hongkong, November 10, 1908.

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SIEMSSSEN & Co.,

(Machinery Dept.)

HONGKONG AND CANTON.

For Bathing Parties.

Blackberry Brandy,

Cherry Brandy,

Cherry Whisky,

Sloe Gin,

Cherry Gin,

Pippermint.

CALBECK MACCREGOR & CO.

WINES & SPIRITS, PORTUGAL

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 1912.

Intimations.

G. FALCONER & CO., LTD.,

WATCHMAKERS, JEWELLERS AND OPTICIANS.

GOLD WATCH BRACELETS.

BROOCHES, RINGS AND PENDANTS

IN GOLD AND PLATINUM SETTINGS.

Inspection Invited.

HOTEL MANSIONS: OPPOSITE NEW POST OFFICE.

WING KEE & CO.,Nos. 47, 48 and 49, CONNAUGHT ROAD CENTRAL.
SHIPHANDLERS, SAILMAKERS, PROVISION MERCHANTS, COAL
MERCHANTS, &c., &c., OF FIFTY YEARS STANDING.
SHIP CAPTAINS ARE REQUESTED TO GIVE US A TRIAL.

FRANCISCO TEE YAT, General Manager.

Hongkong, August 12, 1908.

Intimations.

IMITSU BISHI GOSHI KWAI SHA
(IMITSU BISHI CO.)

COAL DEPARTMENT.

SOLE PROPRIETORS OF TAKA
SIMA, OCHI, MOTABE, YO-
SHINOTANI, HOJO, KANADA,
NAMAZU, SAYO, SHINNEW
and KAMIYAKADA Collieries.AGENTS for KISHIDAKE & SAKITO
COATS.

HEAD OFFICE: TOKYO.

BRANCH OFFICES:

Nagasaki, Moji, Karatsu,

Wakamatsu, Kobe, Osaka,

Shanghai, Hongkong, Hankow.

TELEGRAMS for above: IWASAKI

Order: A1, ABC 6th Ed., Western Union.

AGENCIES:

YOKOHAMA: M. Asada, Esq.

CHINKiang: Messrs Gearing &

Co.

MANILA: Messrs Macdonald &

Co.

SINGAPORE: Messrs Borneo Co

Ltd.

For particulars, apply to:

— V. SHIBUYA,

Marine,

No. 2, Pandua Street,

Hongkong.

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CANTON, KOWLOON, RAILWAY.

THE Public is hereby notified that on

and after WEDNESDAY, May 15th, the following alterations will be made in the Time Table now in force:

No. 7 Down Train will leave Canton at

11. A.M. instead of at 11.45 A.M. as at

present advertised, and N. 10 Up Train

will leave Shau Chun at 12.30 P.M. instead

of 1 P.M. The train advertised to leave

Hongkong for Taipo, Fanling and Shau

Chun on SUNDAYS, at 10.15 A.M. will be

discontinued until further notice.

From this date also "First and Second

Class Return Tickets between Hongkong

and Kowloon or vice versa will

be available from date of issue instead of as at

present for two days.

Return Tickets to and from intermediate

Stations, however will remain as before

available for two days after date of issue.

By Order,

H. P. WINSLOW,

Manager,

Canton Kowloon Railway,

British Section.

By Order,

THE ADMINISTRATION

Chinese Section,

Canton Kowloon Railway,

Kowloon, May 13, 1912.

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ARNHOLD, KARBERG & COMPANY.

BY mutual consent, Mr ARTHUR E.

DOWLER retires to-day from the

above Firm and the business thereof will

be continued by HARVEY EDWARD MAX

NICLASSEN and CHARLES H. ARN-

HOLD, the continuing partners being entituled to all the Assets of the Firm and assuming its obligations.

Dated March 20th, 1912.

(Signed) HARRY E. ARNHOLD,

ERNST GOETZ,

MAX NICLASSEN,

CHARLES H. ARNOLD,

Continuing Partners.

ARTHUR E. DOWLER,

Retiring Partner.

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The Unrivalled Killer!

Fatal to insect life—

harmless to everything

else. Sold in tins and

bottles only, but

be sure you

get—

KIDS

Flies, Bugs,

Beetles, etc.

PICNIC PARTIES.

LUNCH FOR HIRE.

THE Handsome "KING EDWARD

HOTEL" Lunch can be hired

for PICNIC PARTIES by the Hour

or Day.

For terms apply to the MANAGER,

H. HAYNES,

Hongkong, March 1, 1912.

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Your obedient servant,

RICHARDSON EVANS,

Chairman of Committee.

The Scapa Society.

25, Victoria street, Westminster, S.W.

With the departure of the Titanic

and the Liverpool Part of the 16th ult.

Attention is being centred on the next great

ship for the White Star Line, the keel of

which was laid during the past week in

Messrs Harland and Wolff's Belfast yard.

The vessel which will be fitting

named "Therapion" will be built for

£4,000,000 per annum.

The ship will be constructed

from the latest and most advanced

constructional methods.

The ship will be built to contain

1,500 passengers and 500 crew.

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AUCTIONEERS TO THE GOVERNMENT.

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AND

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General Brokers.

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COAL STORAGE.

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Telegraphic Address:

METRION HONGKONG.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED,

on

THURSDAY, the 18th May, 1912, at 10.30 A.M., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Voeux Road, corner of Ice House Street,—

A LARGE QUANTITY OF VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., &c., &c., including Drawing Room and Bedroom Suite by Lane, Crawford & Co., And

2 PIANOS.

Removed to Sales Rooms for Convenience of Sale.

TERMS:—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH,

Auctioneers.

Hongkong, May 14, 1912. 669

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from Mr. J. W. Bolles, to sell by Public Auction on

FRIDAY, the 17th May, 1912, commencing at 2.15 p.m., within his Residence, No. 3, ELLIOT CRESCENT, 25 ROBINSON ROAD,—

THE WHOLE OF HIS VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., &c., &c., Therein Contained, Comprising:—

Blackwood Hall and Drawing Furniture, Brussels, Carpet and Rugs, Oil Paintings and Water Colours (by well-known artists), Etchings and Engravings, Silk Screens, Tapestries, Lace and Chintz Curtains, Austrian Vases, Bronze, etc., Dining Room Suite, Electro-plated, Glass, and Crockery Ware, etc., including Dishes and Tea Service of French Porcelain, Cutlery, &c., Coloured and Steel Engravings, and a Valuable Collection of White and Blue Wall Plates and Vases, Bed Room Suites by well-known makers including Sectional Bookcases, Double and Single Brass-mounted Bedsteads, Bed Linen, &c., Indian Rugs, Pianos and Kitchen Utensils, One Upright Grand Piano by Behr Bros. & Coy., New York, in excellent condition, One Large American Ice Chest, One Treadle Sewing Machine, Two Lady's Carrying Chairs, One Garden Seat, And

A Large Variety of Palms, &c., in Pots. On View from Thursday, 16th inst. Catalogues will be issued.

TERMS:—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH,

Auctioneers.

Hongkong, May 3, 1912. 623

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from J. H. de Reus, Esq., Consul General for the Netherlands, to sell by Public Auction on

WEDNESDAY, the 29th May, 1912, commencing at 2.15 p.m., at his residence "DARTMOOR," No. 13, CONDUIT ROAD,—

THE WHOLE OF HIS VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., &c., &c.,

Therein Contained,

as follows:—Hall and Drawing Room Furniture, Blackwood Ware, etc., TEAKWOOD DINING ROOM SUITE NEW, Electro plated, Glass and Crockery Ware, including A COMPLETE SET OF CRYSTAL Bed Room Suite, Brass-mounted Bedsteads, Bed Linen, &c., One Upholstered Leather-covered Suite suitable for Library or Smoking Room, Pantry, Kitchen and Bath Room Utensils, Electric Fans, Lamps, etc.

A Trundle Singer Sewing Machine (recently new).

Plants in Pots.

Tennis Posts and Net, and 3 Carrying Chairs.

Catalogues will be issued. On View day before sale.

TERMS:—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH,

Auctioneers.

Hongkong, May 11, 1912. 668

AUCTIONS:

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED, on

SATURDAY, the 18th May, 1912, at 12 o'clock Noon, at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Voeux Road, corner of Ice House Street,—

SEVERAL JAPANESE FOODS, ONE TRAINED POINTER DOG TERMS:—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH,

Auctioneers.

Hongkong, May 14, 1912. 668

Want' Advertisements

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\$1 per inch..... 3 insertions.

\$3" One week.

FOR SALE.

ABOUT 600 lbs. ENGLISH TYPE Clarionet and Nasopera (Modena), complete fount, including Italian.

In good condition. Send offers to

'TYPO,'

Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office,

Hongkong, March 21, 1912. 405

FOR SALE.

ONE FULL SIZE

Burroughs and Watts

BILLIARD TABLE

WITH ACCESSORIES.

Apply to

GEO. P. LAMMERT,

Hongkong, June 7, 1910. 472

MILNERS'

SAFES

AS SUPPLIED TO THE

PRINCIPAL BANKS

AND

BUSINESS HOUSES.

GEO. P. LAMMERT,

Agent.

Hongkong, May 20, 1911. 350

THE EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF THE UNITED STATES.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,

GENERAL MANAGERS, HONGKONG.

J. T. HAMILTON, GENERAL MANAGER FOR THE EAST, TOKIO.

New Insurance Paid for... £ 25,687.50 Outstanding insurance amounts to £ 282,653.20 Assets amount to £ 104,065.65 Surplus amounts to £ 17,328.78 Dividends to Policyholders 1910 10,376.167 Total paid Policyholders 1910 53,431,366 Total Expenses for 1910 10,392,072 Gross earnings from Interest and Rents for 1910 21,646.52 Gross rate of Income from Investments 1910 4.48 Hongkong, Feb. 23, 1912. 727

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE CO.

WITH WHICH IS INCORPORATED THE OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE CO.

TOTAL Funds at Sixty Dollars, 1910 £ 231,262,630.

Authorized Capital £ 28,000,000 Subscribed Capital £ 23,614,846

Paid-up Capital £ 21,687,997 6 0

Fire Funds 3,942,015 4 1

Life & Annuity Funds 16,640,125 9

Banking Fund Account 57,355,118 6

£ 231,252,633 17

Revenue Fire Branch 6,373,298 17

Life & Annuity 1,954,031 9

Branches 643,516 10 8

Other Receipts £ 971,315 17

The Accumulated Funds of the Fire and Life Departments are free from liability to the extent of £ 100,000.

HUGHES & HOUGH,

Auctioneers.

Hongkong, May 11, 1912. 668

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MOOR," No. 13, CONDUIT ROAD,—

THE WHOLE OF HIS

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FURNITURE, &c., &c., &c.,

Therein Contained,

as follows:—Hall and Drawing Room Furniture, Blackwood Ware, etc., TEAK-

WOOD DINING ROOM SUITE NEW,

Electro plated, Glass and Crockery Ware,

including A COMPLETE SET OF CRY-

STAL Bed Room Suite, Brass-mounted

Bedsteads, Bed Linen, &c., One Upholstered

Leather-covered Suite suitable for Library

or Smoking Room, Pantry, Kitchen and

Bath Room Utensils,

Electric Fans, Lamps, etc.

A Trundle Singer Sewing Machine (recently new).

Plants in Pots.

Tennis Posts and Net, and 3 Carrying

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Hongkong, May 11, 1912. 668

VICHY
NATURAL MINERAL WATER
FRENCH GOVERNMENT Spring
VICHY CELESTINS
Kidney & Kindred troubles; bladder & heart trouble; Gout; Gravel—Arthritis.
VICHY GRANDE-GRILLE
For Indigestion.
VICHY HOPITAL
VICHY-ETAT PREPARATIONS
VICHY-ETAT SALT Natural salt from the water—in tins and bottles.
VICHY-ETAT TABLETS 3 or 4 after meals makes digestion easy.
VICHY-ETAT COMPOUNDS To make your water digestible aerated water.

GEO. P. LAMMERT
AUCTIONEER

PUBLIC AUCTION

OF FINE TEAKWOOD & BLACKWOOD FURNITURE

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

T H U R S D A Y ,

the 19th May, 1912, commencing at

2.30 P.M., at their Sales Rooms,

DUDDELL STREET,

A LARGE QUANTITY OF

VALUABLE FURNITURE

Comprising:—

Upholstered Drawing Room Suite by

Walnut Wood Drawing Room Suite

Carved Panel Suite, Teak Dowd's Calcutta &

Art Tables, Carpet, Rug, etc., etc.

Fine Teak Staircase, Dining Table, Carved Dining Chairs, Bookcases, Roll-top Desk, Ormolu and Brass Stand, etc.

Teak Wardrobe, Washstand, Toilet Table and Chest of Drawers, etc., etc.

Finely Carved Canton Blackwood Bookcase, Curio Stand, Desk, Round Tables, Teapoy, Flower Stands and Photo Frames.

8 COTTAGE PIANOS by well-known makers

6 Typewriters and 2 Sewing Machines, etc., etc.

On View from Wednesday, the 15th May.

Catalogues will be issued.

TERMS:—Cash on delivery.

GEO. P. LAMMERT,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, May 10, 1912. 652

NOTICE:

WE beg to announce to the Public that

we have at present the Centre part of

a block of VALUABLE GREEN JADESTONE of the most famous and

popular LO HANG (老坑) quality

very transparent and of first water. It

weighs 78 lbs. of which 9 lbs. are bright chrysoprase and can be made into numerous valuable ornaments. Its total value is

estimated to be \$100,000 odd. Visitors are welcomed to make inspection.

PO. WO. CHEONG,

No. 237, Tai Sin Street,

(Great New Street), CANTON.

Canton, April 30, 1912. 590

Intimations.

FRENCH STORE

JUST ARRIVED!!!

LARGE CONSIGNMENT OF
ITALIAN SPAGHETTI AND
MACARONI

TRY THEM

WITH OUR ITALIAN CHEESE AND OUR
TOMATO SAUCE

IT IS A KING'S DISH

DRINK WITH IT OUR

CHIANTI WINE

AND HAVE A CUP OF OUR

MOCHA COFFEE

Hongkong April 19, 1912.

Natura Milk

"Lion Brand."

GUARANTEED free from any foreign ingredient and absolutely free from
Bacterium.

The same as supplied to The Norddeutscher Lloyd and other Steamship Companies.

Each Case contains 48 Tins of about 1 Litre at \$0.00 per case.

Can be obtained from

H. STEPHENS,

10, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

Sole Agent for Hongkong and South China.

Hongkong April 17, 1912.

Wide as the world, and 90
years long, is the stride whichJOHNNIE
WALKER

has made in popular esteem. Born 1829, Johnnie Walker was never going stronger than now.

Whatever your taste, Johnnie Walker meets it, for Johnnie Walker is supplied in three different ages:

"JOHNNIE WALKER" White Label.
Over 6 years old.
"JOHNNIE WALKER" Red Label.
Over 10 years old.
"JOHNNIE WALKER" Black Label.
Over 12 years old.

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TOTAL	\$31,750,000
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS	\$15,000,000
COUNCIL OF DIRECTORS	
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BANK	BANKS
THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LTD.	
ESTABLISHED 1880.	
AUTHORIZED CAPITAL	Yen 45,000,000.00
PAID-UP CAPITAL	30,000,000.00
RESERVE FUND	17,500,000.00
HEAD OFFICE—YOKOHAMA.	
BRANCHES AND AGENTS AT:	
ANTUNG-HUEN NAGASAKI	
BOMBAK NEWCHENG	
CHANGCHUN NEW YORK	
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INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 2½ PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 4 PER CENT. per annum.	
For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.	
N. J. STABB, Chief Manager.	
Hongkong, January 24, 1912.	

BANK	BANKS
THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.	
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1853.	
HEAD OFFICE, LONDON.	
PAID-UP CAPITAL	\$1,200,000
RESERVE FUND	21,600,000
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS	\$1,200,000
FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking business transacted.	
CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and FIXED DEPOSITS received for 1 year or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application.	
W. M. DICKSON, Manager.	
Hongkong, April 12, 1912.	

BANK	BANKS
NEEDERLANDSCHE HANDEL MAASTCHAFFIJ.	
(NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY).	
ESTABLISHED 1824.	
PAID-UP CAPITAL	\$1,40,000,000 (23,750,000).
RESERVE FUND	About \$1,200,000.
HEAD OFFICE—AMSTERDAM.	
HEAD AGENCY—BATAVIA.	
BRANCHES—Singapore, Penang, Shanghai, Foochow, Samarang, Sourabaya, Djempen, Cirebon, Tegal, Pecalongan, Patjaj, Bandung, Padang, Medan, Tebing Tinggi (Del), Palembang, Kuta, Buleleng, (Amed), Bandung, Correspondents at Bombay, Colombo, Madras, Pondicherry, Calcutta, Bangkok, Saigon, Haiphong, Hanoi, Amoy, Yokohama, Kobe, Melbourne, Sydney, New York, San Francisco, etc., &c.	
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would not come forward as President at conference in 1912. Doubtless the volatile Colonel could justify his action on the ground that political affairs have so considerably altered since he made the statement, that he no longer feels called upon to adhere to it. Besides, statements of that sort, he probably believes, are mere rhetorical flourishes made on post-prandial occasions, forgotten as soon as made and never intended to be taken seriously. Such statements, however, should not be made by public men in responsible positions unless they are prepared to carry them out. Far better than such statements should not be uttered. We are not referring to the consistency or the inconsistency of the action; all we wish to convey is that public men should know their minds better before committing their future actions to a definite course. Inconsistency, far from being the sign of an elastic moral code, may very easily be the reverse, and indicate a mind willing to take a broad, fair and thoroughly impartial view, no matter what may have preceded. To many, however, it was by no means a surprise that the worthy ex-President had launched himself into the midst of the election with all his wonted fervour. "He would not have been the Roosevelt that we know had he not acted in that manner; and that he is giving his opponent a very stirring and even anxious time is apparent from the fact that we learn that President Taft contemplates—and evidently with equanimity—the mighty task of delivering eighty speeches in Ohio, and that he has caused, particularly among his opponents (who evidently do not like the move) no little consternation by his direct appeal for the vote of the women of California, in what is known as the "primaries voting." Such an appeal is said to be "unprecedented" by a President. Perhaps it is, but surely it is not more unprecedented than the fact that ex-President Roosevelt has thought fit to enter the contest, after having given his solemn pledge that he would not do so. The Democrats of the United States are said to be delighted with the warring factions at present in the ranks of the Republican party, but in the absence of a candidate of their own, we fail to see what good their satisfaction is likely to do them. Meantime, not only America but the world looks on with mingled wonder and amazement at this wonderful campaign and, in true sporting spirit, hopes that the best man may win.

The following telegram, dated Manila, May 15, 8 a.m., was received in Hongkong this morning at 9.45 a.m.:—

"Cyclone or Typhoon E. S. E. of Guam moving N.W."

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Dr Kay, Port Medical Officer, left for Home yesterday by the *Nile*. He proposes returning in about nine months.

The following candidates have been successful in their examination for certificates of competency before the Board of Trade, Hongkong, during the month of April, viz.:—B. M. Aveline, G. Cormack, L. M. Augure, D. Cochran and J. Alan as first engineers; J. M. Xavier, E. D. Davies and N. Taylor as second engineers; H. M. Parry and J. A. Murphy as masters; E. B. Green and J. E. Porren as first mates.

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE DOGS' HOME.

(To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL.")

Dear Sir,—May I trespass upon your kindness once more? Mr. F. K. Tata has made a final and successful effort to complete the amount needed to establish and carry on the Dogs' Home. He is to be cordially congratulated. It will be a boon to us if you will kindly insert this lengthy acknowledgment of the following generous donations. An advertisement in this issue gives particulars of sales, etc.—I am Yours faithfully,

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C. Friedland ... 50.00

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Mrs R. Hancock ... 10.00

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A. H. B. ... 5.00

Z. Volicelli ... 10.00

J. E. Gum ... 5.00

H. S. ... 5.00

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K. H. E. ... 5.00

A. M. Soares ... 5.00

M. A. Razack ... 5.00

I. Goursey ... 5.00

Success to the Organizer ... 5.00

Dr. Allan ... 5.00

Dr. Fitzwilliams ... 5.00

Ehshirin ... 1.00

C. G. Moxon ... 5.00

A. B. C. ... 2.00

Dr. Jordan ... 5.00

C. Lawder ... 5.00

C. M. Hansen ... 1.00

L. A. Byworth ... 10.00

Hon. Mr. Ross Davies ... 12.00

Hon. Mr. E. A. Hewett (Second Instalment) ... 25.00

THE RAYMOND CASE.

To-day's Court Proceedings.

A case of considerable interest was heard in the Supreme Court this morning by Mr Justice Gomperts, the action being that in which Henry A. Law, Hongkong, claimed from "The Great Raymond" the sum of \$1,000. The claim arose out of an incident which occurred at the Theatre Royal on Saturday week. The illusionist challenged the audience to unfasten his feet from a pair of handcuffs. Mr Law accepted the challenge, and claimed to have freed himself from one hand. Raymond denied that Mr Law had earned the \$1,000 which he offered for the performance of the feat, and there was a big "Scenes" in the theatre. Proceedings were at once instituted by Lieut. Col. for the recovery of the \$1,000.

The writ stated that the claim was for \$1,000, being the amount undertaken on the 4th May, 1912, to be paid by the defendant to the plaintiff.

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HOME CRICKET.

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LONDON, May 15.

The Warwickshire v. Lancashire match stands: Warwick, six innings and 22 runs; Lancs, six innings and 132 runs.

DEATH OF STRINDBERG.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 15.

The death is reported of Strindberg. [Note.—August Strindberg, the distinguished Swedish novelist and dramatist, was born at Stockholm in 1849. He was the author of many popular novels and plays.—Ed. C.M.]

MORE BANDIT HUNTING.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 15.

Garnier and Vallet, accompaniment of the bandit Bonnet, who was shot by the Parisian police recently, have been cracked down and are being besieged in a house at Nogent-Sur-Marne. They are firing on the police and the crowd, and a police sergeant has already been wounded and taken to the hospital.

THE BIG LOAN TO CHINA.

REPRESENTATIVE BANKERS' CONFERRING IN LONDON.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 14.

The first meeting of the Bankers representing the Six Powers who are prepared to advance £60,000,000 to China is being held to-day at the British and Chinese Corporation offices. London.

M. Verschueren, the Director of the Russo-Asiatic Bank, has arrived in London to represent Russia. He immediately conferred with the Russian and Japanese Ambassadors. In an interview with Reuter's representative he stated that Russia had no political motives or aspirations beyond safeguarding her special interests in Mongolia and Western China.

The representatives of all the Powers felt strongly that political control of the vast sum of money in contemplation should take precedence of financial control; and held that it was most important that the bankers should act on decisions taken by the representatives of the Six Powers at Peking and co-operate with them.

THE "TITANIC" INQUIRY.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 14.

At the resumption of the Inquiry to-day a searching investigation was made as to whether the Californian was the vessel whose lights were seen from the "Titanic" when she was foundering. Witnesses, who had been on the Californian, gave evidence of seeing a vessel's lights, and afterwards rockets a few miles off, not far from the spot at which the "Titanic" actually struck. The Captain testified that he was resting at the time, and did not see rockets. There was only one white rocket, which was not a signal of distress, reported to him. He saw the ship from which it had been fired before he retired, and was positive that she was not the "Titanic," which would have been unmistakable. He was unable, however, to indicate any other vessel to which it could have belonged as being in the locality at the time. If he had thought she was the "Titanic" he would have made every effort to reach her though the danger may have been of the most serious nature.

An apprentice of the Californian testified that he saw a vessel which fired many rockets, and which seemed to be listing heavily on the starboard side.

TURCO-ITALIAN WAR.

NEWSPAPER CORRESPONDENT KILLED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 14.

Mr. Sandilwood, correspondent of the Daily Chronicle with the Turks, has been killed in a skirmish at Derna in Tripoli. A Constantinople telegram states that the Chamber of Deputies cheered when an telegram was read from Enver Bey declaring that all the Turks in Tripoli were determined to resist to the end.

ACTIVITY OF THE ITALIANS.

The Italians are making extensive preparations for the administration of the captured islands, and have established a telegraph service from Tripoli to Scutari in Rhodes. Many police and other officials are en route.

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CHINESE NEWS.

(With The "Yat Po" Service.)

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AVIATION FATALITY AT BROOKLANDS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 14.

An aviator named Fisher and a rich American, who went up as a passenger, were killed while flying at Brooklands last night. The passenger was pinned beneath the burning aeroplane.

LATER.

Fisher's passenger was Victor Masop, Vice-President of the Development Company of America, and Director of other Mining Companies. He was on the point of concluding a big deal in London.

THE MALECKA CASE.

ENGLISHWOMAN SENT TO SIBERIA FOR LIFE.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 14.

The sentence on Miss Malecka, the Englishwoman who was sentenced at Warsaw for consorting with revolutionaries, involves, says her counsel, deprivation of all civil rights, and also upon the expiry of the sentence, exile to Siberia for life and to live where ordered by the police.

CAVALRY AND AEROPLANES.

THE KING AT ALDERSHOT.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 14.

The King goes to Aldershot tomorrow. The operations are designed to show the increasing importance of cavalry co-operating with aeroplanes equipped with bombs for reconnoitring purposes.

LIFE SAVING APPLIANCES ON SHIPS.

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 14.

Mr. Asquith, in a written reply to a question, states that Great Britain has replied sympathetically to the German circular suggesting an international conference to consider the question of life saving appliances on board ships.

THE PRINCE OF WALES.

TO ATTEND THE FRENCH NAVAL EXERCISES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 14.

The Prince of Wales will motor to Toulon next week. He will attend the French Naval Exercises and for three days be aboard the battleship Danton.

HOME RULE AND DISESTABLISHMENT.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 14.

The debates in the House of Commons on the Home Rule Bill and Welsh Disestablishment are being sparingly attended, it being generally felt that through the passage of these measures through the House of Commons, no vote will be taken on them. It is now generally agreed that they will meet with the support of the House of Lords, and further inquiries are now being made.

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SCOTTISH SPORTS.

(From Our Scottish Correspondent.)

EDINBURGH, April 23.

ASSOCIATION LEAGUE.

Little importance attaches to the remaining League matches, and only a languid interest is felt in the "doings" of the four bottom clubs—Raith Rovers, 1; Miren, 2; Kilmarnock, 2; Queen's Park, 0.

Saturday, Raith Rovers managed to make themselves safe by sharing points with Celtic; it is possible that the other three teams may find themselves tying for the wooden spoon. Queen's Park are making strenuous endeavours to improve their lowly position. Should the proposal to carry to exempt the First League clubs from the Qualifying Cup competition, the Queen's will be spared their experiences of the last season. But against that there is always the probability, or rather the possibility of the League adopting automatic promotion.

RESULTS.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE RESULTS.

Rangers, 0; W. L. D. F. Rangers, 33-7-3-49.

Celtic, 0; W. L. D. F. Celtic, 34-17-6-11-45.

Partick Thistle, 0; W. L. D. F. Partick Thistle, 33-19-10-4-42.

Aberdeen, 0; W. L. D. F. Aberdeen, 33-16-9-8-40.

Dundee, 0; W. L. D. F. Dundee, 33-13-11-9-35.

Merton, 0; W. L. D. F. Merton, 33-13-11-9-35.

Heart of Mid-L., 0; W. L. D. F. Heart of Mid-L., 31-13-10-8-24.

Falkirk, 0; W. L. D. F. Falkirk, 32-14-6-6-34.

Airdrieonians, 0; W. L. D. F. Airdrieonians, 33-12-13-8-32.

Hamilton Acad., 0; W. L. D. F. Hamilton Acad., 33-14-12-8-30.

Third Lanark, 0; W. L. D. F. Third Lanark, 33-11-15-7-29.

Hibernians, 0; W. L. D. F. Hibernians, 34-12-17-5-29.

Motherwell, 0; W. L. D. F. Motherwell, 32-11-16-5-27.

Raith Rovers, 0; W. L. D. F. Raith Rovers, 34-9-16-5-27.

M. I. Mar., 0; W. L. D. F. M. I. Mar., 33-7-16-5-24.

Kilmarnock, 0; W. L. D. F. Kilmarnock, 33-10-10-4-24.

Queen's Park, 0; W. L. D. F. Queen's Park, 33-7-17-9-23.

CLUB MATCH.

Rangers, 0; Woolwich-Arsenal, 0.

CRICKET.

Several cricket clubs have had a start, but it will be another week before the season is properly set going in Scotland. On the whole, prospects are good, for three months, until the holidays dictate the teams, we shall have a series of interesting matches. It is matter for regret that Uddington and Drumpellier, two of the strongest combinations in the West, are not pulling together, and have arranged no fixture.

RESULTS.

Cupar, 111 for nine; Dundee Victoria, 24.

Drumpellier, 40; Kelburne, 15.

Glas. Academicals, 127; Clydesdale, 88 for four.

Stewartonians, 160 closed; Carlton, 93 for six.

LISTENING TO A LECTURE 1,600 MILES AWAY.

During the annual alumni dinner of Yale men in Chicago, a small "watch-case" telephone receiver was placed at each plate, and, by putting them to the ear, every man at the tables was enabled to listen to the lecture delivered by President Hadley, who sat in the study of his home in New Haven. The receivers, 240 in all, were connected through specially arranged apparatus and circuits to a line, about 1,600 miles long, connecting Chicago and New Haven.

A combination of transmitters was suspended in the centre of the room and connected to a second circuit so that President Hadley could hear the applause and his words well received with and stop talking during the demonstrations, which made the conditions very similar to what they would have been had the speaker been present in person instead of just in voice. President Hadley was the toast master in the usual way, and was in communication with the banquet room for about one hour.

A MYSTERY UNRIVEDLED.

The mystery of the murder of the Mandarin in the hospital in the French concession six months ago has been cleared up, says the Shanghai Mercury, by the confession of a tallow who was arrested last week by the West Hongkew police. The tallow admits he murdered the Mandarin, and that he had several meetings at the French Concession, and that he was paid £100 for the killing.

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HO GOONG AND WHAMPY DOCK CO. LTD.

An extraordinary meeting of the Ho Goong and Whampy Dock Co., Ltd. was held to day.

There were present the Hon. Mr. G. H. Macpherson, Sir Charles Chater, Mr. G. E. Macpherson, Dr. D. G. Macpherson, Mr. White, Mr. Freeland, Mr. A. Sibley, Mr. F. J. T. White, Mr. A. S. Soriano (Chairman), Mr. M. D. Sims, Mr. J. Manners, Mr. W. Dunbar, Mr. Tong, Mr. Liu, and Mr. Cheung Shui.

The Chairman said that the meeting was convened for the purpose of confirming a resolution which was passed on April 21, and he now proposed that the changes in the Articles of Association which had been read by the secretary be confirmed.

Sir Paul Chater seconded, and the meeting was unanimously agreed to the alterations which were as follows:

1. That the following Article be inserted after Article 33, namely, 32a—

"Scrip fees. 32a. A fee not exceeding £1 may be charged for every new certificate issued which corresponds on a transfer or on the splitting up of an existing certificate and shall if required by the Directors be paid before the issue of the new certificate."

2. That the first three and a half lines of Article 46 ending with the word "Company" be struck out of line 32a.

3. A General Meeting shall be held in any year at such time and place as the Directors may determine. Such meeting shall be called

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LONDON, VIA USUAL PORTS	Capt. E. P. MARTIN, R.N.R.	23rd May.	Passage.
DEVAHNA	Capt. W. R. HICKY	Noon, 25th May.	See Special of Call.
LONDON & ANTWERP	BORNEO	About 29th May.	Freight and Passage.
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VICTORIA, B.C. AND SEATLE, VIA SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, SUEZ AND PORT SAID.	INABA MARU, TUESDAY, 21st Capt. S. Tomina, Tons 7000	May, at 4 p.m.
SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, VIA MANILA, THURS., DAY ISLAND, TOWNSVILLE AND BRISBANE.	KITANO MARU, TUESDAY, 5th Capt. F. E. Cope, Tons 9000	JUNE, at Daylight.
KOBE & YOKOHAMA	HIRANO MARU, THURSDAY, 23rd Capt. H. Fraser, Tons 7000	May.

SHANGHAI, MOJI AND MIKE MARU, KOBE.	MONDAY, Capt. —, Tons 4000	26th May.
NAGASAKI, KOBE AND KUMANO MARU, YOKOHAMA	WEDNESDAY, 5th Capt. M. Winckler, Tons 6000	JUNE, at Noon.

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FROM LEITH, EDINBURGH & STRAITS.

CONSIGNMENTS of Goods are being

forwarded to all Ports, having been

loaded at their risk into the hazardous

Steamers, barque, barquentine, gaff-rigged

and other vessels, and from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No claims will be allowed after the

Goods have left the Godowns, and all

Claims will be subject to rule.

All claims against the steamer must be

presented to the Underwriters on or before

the 25th May, or they will not be re-

cognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods

are to be left in the Godown where they

will be examined on the 15th May.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bill of Lading will be countersigned by

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, May 13, 1912.

TOYO, KISEN KAISHA.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNORS

FROM SAN FRANCISCO, HONOLULU

& JAPAN PORTS.

THE Steamship CHITOGA MARU.

The above-named steamer, having

arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby

notified to send in their Bills of Lading

for countersignature, and to take the

immediate delivery of cargo from alongside.

Cargo remaining undelivered on FRIDAY,

May 17th, at 5 p.m. will be landed at

Consignee's risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance whatever will be

effected.

No claims will be recognized after the

Goods have left the Steamer or Godown, and

all goods remaining undelivered on

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